

2010 – 2011 APPLICATION FOR THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE



Eligibility Requirements:

Applicants must be between the ages of 13 and 20 years of age. Candidates must live in Montgomery County or attend Montgomery County public or independent schools.

* YAC meetings will occur at members' respective Regional Service Center on a monthly basis. Service projects, special events and countywide meetings will take place during the term at various locations throughout the county. Regular attendance at YAC meetings is mandatory in addition to attendance at YAC events (September through June). Before filling out this application, please consider that this committee will require a lot of time, energy and commitment.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE: Mr. or Ms. (circle one) Name: City/Zip: _____ Home Phone: Email address: _____ School in 2010 – 2011: ______ Grade in '10 – '11: _____ 1. How did you learn about the Youth Advisory Committee? 2. Please list your current extracurricular activities (Include sports, clubs, community service, spiritual/religious, etc.) 3. If you are selected as a YAC member, what qualities will you bring to our committee?

4.	What do you hope to gain from YAC participation?
5.	Please write about an issue that affects Montgomery County Teens.
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6.	How can YAC address this issue?
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7.	Please describe a situation where you demonstrated effective leadership skills:
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8.	Considering all of your commitments, including family gatherings, school work, team sports, volunteer work, religious/spiritual activities, jobs, internships and other extra-curricular activities, how many hours per week can you realistically commit to Youth Advisory Committee participation?
9.	I am applying to be a member of (Please select only one region.)
	 □ Bethesda/Chevy Chase Region (Bethesda, Chevy Chase, Potomac, North Potomac) □ Silver Spring Region (Silver Spring, Takoma Park, Long Branch) □ East County Region (Briggs Chaney, Burtonsville, Fairland) □ Mid-County Region (Rockville, Kensington, Aspen Hill, Wheaton, Olney, Sandy Spring, Brookeville) □ Upper County Region (Gaithersburg, Clarksburg, Darnestown, Germantown, Poolesville, Damascus)
<i>If</i> y	you require additional space to complete any of the questions, please attach a page and indicate which numbered question you are continuing. Please make sure that your name is on each additional page.
	Thank you for your time and interest.
	Youth Advisory Committee – Reaching Out to Make a Difference!
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Applications must be delivered or post-marked no later than 5:00 pm on Wednesday, July 9, 2010.

Please mail or hand-deliver to:

Montgomery County Department of Recreation 4010 Randolph Road Silver Spring, Maryland, 20902 ATTN: Youth Advisory Committee

For more information, please call 240.777.6870.